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Subject: Request for correction to transaction made to our account, 090441  
- International Business Machines Corporation

Our deposit account has been erroneously charged with \$2,600.00. Please explain why application 09/770877 was charged with \$2,600. Transaction details are as follows:

1. ARC920010005US1 – S/N 09/770877 \$2,600 (Erroneous Charges)

Date: 05/06/05 Posting Ref: 09770877 Atty. Docket: ARC920010005US1 Fee Code: 1201 Amount: \$2,600.00. We filed an amendment on 4/26/05 in response to office action dated 04/18/05. There should not be any charges for this response.

IBM Patent Agent who is working on this application, Marc McSwain can be reached at 408/927-3364 if you have any questions.

Thank you,

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